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Oyen

Alberta

M. D. of Cereal

The council of the municipal district of Cereal, No. 242, met in Oyen on Saturday, Feb. 14, at 10 o'clock a.m. Councilors all present.

The financial statement for the month of January was read and approved and accounts were passed for payment.

Cancellation of the old road diversion plan No. 7101 on the west half of section 15-27-4-4 was authorized.

The secretary was instructed to take up with the Hudson Bay Co. the matter of the road diversion on the north-east quarter of 8-26-4-4.

The secretary was authorized to add to the 1931 tax roll certain penalties overlooked in computing bill taxes in year 1930, and was instructed to acknowledge the communication from the Alberta Provincial Police to relief.

The Reeve was authorized to complete the questionnaire of the Canadian Indemnity Co. in connection with the treasurer's bond.

The granting of an old age pension to Mrs. A. Johnson, was authorized.

The secretary was instructed to take an assignment of lease covering the crops to be grown on the south-west quarter of 2-26-4-4, in the year 1931.

The secretary was instructed to cancel the taxes against the unoccupied Soldier Settlement Board lands and the December 15, penalties on those occupied S.S.B. lands where the board pays the taxes.
Council authorized payment for certain road diversions.

Remarkable February—Mild

Weather Still With Us

Mild weather is still continuing with unusually high temperatures for this season of the year. Yesterday and this morning a stiff wind raised considerable dust and made the atmosphere very unpleasant. Snow is needed to protect summer-fallows from blowing and to clear the air.

Temperatures this morning were freakish. At 7 a.m. the thermometer registered 25; fifteen minutes later it was down 3 points; twenty minutes later it was up to 32 and at 8 o'clock stood at 40. Shortly after noon today the thermometer registered 47, the highest point reached this year.

The following are the readings for the week:

W. Feb. 11	20	36	23
T. Feb. 12	20	42	26
F. Feb. 13	14	49	25
S. Feb. 14	15	46	26
S. Feb. 15	20	46	25
M. Feb. 16	20	43	22
T. Feb. 17	20	38	22
W. Feb. 18	42	57	

Church Notices

OYEN UNITED CHURCH
February 22
at 7:30 p.m.

"The Ninety and Nine and the One"
Rev. H. C. Woods.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH
(Anglican)
February 22
Holy Communion 10 a.m.
Rev. C. M. K. Parsons.

Mr. William Walsh and Mr. Jack Evans returned to Oyen last Friday after spending two days in Calgary.

Morrison Wins Grand Challenge at Bishop Bonspiel

The rink skipped by Geo. A. Morrison won the final game in the grand challenge in the Bishop Bonspiel last week, but lost the game played with the winners of the consolation event.

Both games were keenly contested and drew large galleries. In the grand challenge, the finalists were: Ernie Vanstone, Vincent Seymour, Harry Webb and F. E. Bishop, skip, Excel, and Mrs. Roy C. Anderson, W. Harris, Mrs. Art Wade and G. A. Morrison, skip, Oyen. The winning rink of the consolation event which defeated the Morrison rink in a play-off, was: Mrs. C. Gullekson, Clarence Gullekson, Mrs. C. A. Bishop and E. B. Gullekson, skip.

Games in the last half of a square draw are now being played at the Bishop rink.

Rinks Return With Prizes

From Hanna Bonspiel

The two Oyen rinks which attended Hanna Bonspiel, returned home Friday, each bringing back prizes. George Langmuir and his men won first prize, second prize in one competition and Jim Lees and his men won fourth prize in one of the events and came home with candle sticks.

The personnel of the rinks was: W. McDonald, Art Johnson, Jim Marshall, Geo. Langmuir, skip, and A. O. MacArthur, Axel Wade, E. B. Thygesen, James Lees, skip.

Father and Son, Mother and

Daughter Banquet at United Church

The Father and Son Mother and Daughter banquet held in the basement of the United church last Thursday evening, was an outstanding success, and those responsible for the splendid program and the excellent cuisine served deserve unreserved praise. The function was a credit to all taking part.

Mr. T. O. Stephenson, who officiated as toastmaster, was in good form and showed a ready wit. Under his direction the following program was carried through with pleasing smoothness: A toast to the Church June Walker; response, Rev. H. C. Woods; vocal duet, Harold Austin and Ernest Trewing; recitation, Shirley Stephenson; toast to Mothers, Nettie Korichenko; response, Mrs. E. D. Thygesen; song, Alberta Wenger; toast to Fathers, Allan Scott; response, Mr. Harry Austin; recitation, Irma Robill; toast to "Premier Evans"; Fred Hatch; response, Mr. E. G. Evans; recitation, Esther Mahaffey; toast to C.G.T.I., Jim Lees, response, Minnie Thygesen; a short talk by Mrs. C. S. Wright, former leader of the Pathfinder group; violin solo, Doris Gullekson; toast to C.S.E.T., Helen Love; response, Jack Snyder; duet, Vera and Nettie Korichenko; a toast to the toastmaster, George Whitlock; response, Mr. T. O. Stephenson; toast to King and Country, Melbourne Bradford; Mr. J. P. Rorabeck gave a short talk to the Boys and Fathers; God Save the King.

Mr. J. B. Lowe left yesterday morning for Edmonton, where he will attend a conference of the Retail Merchants' Association.

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We try to give you the best value both coming and going. We are giving the best possible prices for good butter and fresh eggs. We strive to give the most for the dollar.

5 lbs. Evaporated Apricots for	95c
5 lbs. Blue Ribbon Baking Powder	95c
3 lbs. Fresh ground Coffee	98c
3 lbs. package Creamettes	149c
Old Hickory Smoke Salt	1.50
Sugar Crisp Cornflakes	9c
Soups! 2 tins for	25c
Eat more Pink Salmon	15c

We are showing an exclusive range of
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priced from 25c per yard up.

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Bank of Toronto
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The Bishop Bonspiel

Grand Challenge

F. E. Thayer	G. Morrison	G. Morrison
E. Morrison	R. E. Bishop	G. Morrison
E. Church	T. Stephenson	Clifford Gates
T. Stephenson	Clifford Gates	Morrison
C. A. Bishop	R. Greene	R. Anderson
Clifford Gates	R. Anderson	F. E. Bishop
"Doo Dads"	S. Gullekson	S. Gullekson
R. Greene	W. McKibbin	W. McKibbin
E. Gullekson	P. E. Bishop	"Doo Dads"
W. McKibbin	S. Gullekson	
R. Anderson		

Consolation

E. Gullekson	E. Gullekson	S. Gullekson
E. Church	S. Gullekson	S. Gullekson
C. A. Bishop	W. McKibbin	"Doo Dads"
S. Gullekson		
F. E. Thayer		
W. McKibbin		

W. McKibbin and S. Gullekson are the winners of the consolation.

A quality which has won supremacy



Yellow label Salada 60 cts a lb
Brown label Salada 70 cts a lb
 'Fresh from the gardens'

Governments And The People

In times like the present governments as well as individuals are pressed to make ends meet and to secure the necessary revenues to carry on the public services. In some respects the problems which confront governments at such a time are even more difficult than those which face the individual. This, however, is something few people are prepared to admit. Inasmuch as government business is merely the business of all individual citizens, instead of one or two only, it is well that people generally should understand and so appreciate some of the difficulties which confront them in their collective capacity, federally and provincially, at the present time.

The old fallacy still seems to stick in the minds of many people that governments can always find money, that if more is needed at any time, or in any emergency, it can easily be obtained; that there is, indeed, no bottom to the public purse, no limit to a government's borrowing powers. And this misconception on the part of so many people lies at the root of many of our present problems.

When "hard times" come upon us, crops fail, business slackens, unemployment ensues, prices fall below costs of production, products cannot be sold at any price, people turn to governments to help them out—that is, they would only realize it, if they were to turn to themselves. But they seem to forget, or conveniently ignore the fact that their own loss of earnings, consuming, and tax paying power immediately reacts upon their governments, depriving them of the revenues essential to meet the increased demands the people would place upon them.

Government revenues drop because, through unemployment or inability to sell products at a profit, people are unable to pay taxes, and because, of necessity, they must consume less and make fewer purchases other sources of government income are dried up or greatly reduced. But it is at just such times when governments are least able to spend money—because they have not got it—people demand that they spend more money before and after the hard times; in a word, they insist that governments shall help them out, ignoring the fact that collectively they are in the same position as they are individually—therefore, governments are in like difficulty to themselves.

Governments, of course, can borrow money—up to a certain limit. But every dollar borrowed mortgages the future. It must be repaid some time, or in the alternative, interest must be paid for all time to come. Once interest payments are not made the source of future borrowings dries up. And every dollar required to pay interest, is a dollar less available for current government requirements.

Examine the present situation. Revenues of Provincial governments throughout Canada are falling. They have less money to spend, and greater demands made upon them than ever before. From the Atlantic to the Pacific every Provincial Treasurer has the same story to tell, large deficits upon the year's operations. They must secure larger revenues or enormously decrease expenditures. Such revenues can only be obtained by increased taxation at a time when people cannot pay present taxes; decreased expenditures, except in some minor details, are impossible because the people insist on larger public expenditures, to offset the decline in private expenditures, and thus provide employment.

The Dominion Government is in exactly the same position, falling revenues, increased expenditures, large deficits. The Dominion is, therefore, looking for new sources of revenue to make ends meet, and at the same time the Provinces are calling upon the Dominion to relinquish to them certain of its present sources of revenue, asking the Dominion to pay them larger cash subsidies; asking them to take over certain services and responsibilities hitherto borne by the Provinces.

It is becoming increasingly necessary that "All" people should realize that whether a service provided by the Dominion Government or by their Provincial Government; whether the taxes are levied and collected by the Dominion, or the Province, or the municipality; whether the money is borrowed by one government or another, they, the people, must do the paying. They must pay now or later. The more they borrow now, the more they have mortgaged their future, the more they will have to pay later, the heavier the handicap they have placed on a quick and permanent return to better times.

Bearing this fundamental, inescapable truth in mind, people will be well advised not to rely too greatly upon governments in times of stress, but rather to go the limit in endeavoring to meet their individual problems as individuals. It will be better for them, individually and collectively, in the long run.

Fed Army From Air

Bank Better Than Either

British Tossed Plan Of Dropping

Parachute

The British army recently carried out a very successful test of feeding an army from the air. A column of 1,000 started out on a 150-mile march, and all their rations were carried by air. Two steps for rations were made in route and each day 100 tons of loads were dropped, each weighing 120 pounds. Fourteen "Wapiti" planes dropped four loads a day on a spot of ground marked out in advance. On the first day 48 of the 56 loads were dropped in the marked zone. The second day all the loads were dropped as directed.

English railways are reducing sleeping-car rates.

Heart and Nerves So Bad

Was Unable To Sleep For Hours

Mr. Theres M. Harvey, of Georgetown, Ont., writes:—"I was troubled, for almost a year, with my heart and nerves, especially on sitting at night when I would be unable to sleep for hours. I was easily fatigued, and very excitable and irritable. A friend recommended Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. After taking these a few weeks I could enjoy a good night's rest, and rapidly regained my former state of health."



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Would Organize Commission

Suggests Farm Products Marketing Body To Assist Agriculture

Credits Corporation

Organization of a farm products marketing commission, a co-ordination of the agricultural credits corporation recently proposed by E. W. Wood, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, was advocated by John M. Imrie, of Edmonton, in addressing the Empire Club at Toronto, last night. The commission would be a fact-finding and advisory only, under Mr. Imrie's proposal. It would serve to co-ordinate existing marketing and to stimulate and support existing marketing services rather than to create any new marketing mechanism. It would endeavor to secure for Canada's own farmers the largest possible proportion of their own domestic market, thus displacing substantial imports of secondary farm products from other sources. Outside of Canada it would seek to expand present markets, to find new ones, and to study requirements of both.

The commission would co-operate wholeheartedly with the Dominion Department of Trade and Commerce, and with the various producer service, related transportation and financial interests, and the various trade channels through which the selling would continue to be done as at present.

Mr. Imrie, who was chairman of the meeting, also addressed the audience on "New Markets Across the Pacific."

Lynchings In U.S.

Figures Of Lynchings For Year 1936 Are Not Encouraging

Optimistic observers who thought a few years ago that lynching was about to die in the United States got a jolt in the 1936 figures on this American form of lawlessness. Twenty-five lynchings are recorded in the closing twelve months of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in its annual summary of lynchings, a company with twelve in 1935, a jump of 100 per cent. This increase is bad enough, but when it is compared with the figures for twenty-five or thirty years ago, when lynchings ran as high as 255 in one year, it is still good news. The figures show some progress along the road away from lawlessness—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Persian Balm invests every word with subtle charm. Delicately fragrant. Cooling and healing. Dispels all roughness or chafes. Makes the skin delightfully soft-textured. Every woman should use this priceless toilet requisite. Chaintains—beauty—retirement—Persian Balm achieves results in every instance. Cleanses, whitens the hands. Promotes clear and youthful loveliness. All women who care for delicate skin should be using this charming Persian Balm.

British Settlers For B.C.

Report States Few With Wealth Are Interested

More wealthy British people came to British Columbia in the last year than in any other year since the 1920s, says the Columbia House, London, England, than ever before, F. A. Pauline, retiring agent-general reports.

For the twelve months ending September 30 last, Mr. Pauline said, 308 people left Britain for this province with a view to immediate settlement or in order to make a personal inspection with a view to settling, and all these people had capital. Their total capital amounted to 686,610 pounds apart from annual incomes, totalling 42,438 pounds.

Children suffering from worms soon show all symptoms, and any mother can detect the presence of these parasites by the writings and frettings of the child. Until expelled from the system cleared of them, the child is restless and irritable.

Dr. Health Miller's Worm Powders are prompt and efficient, not only for the eradication of worms, but also as a tonic up for children that are run down in consequence.

Coming To Canada

Twelve head-mistresses of well-known English and Scottish schools are to sail for Canada on March 27 for the object of acquiring a personal knowledge of Canadian universities and of exploring the possibilities of girls finishing their education there after a secondary educational course here. Mrs. Maury heads the party which will remain for five months.

A Historical Monument

The famous tunnel which proved such a strategic point for the Germans during the 1918 offensive, has been classed as an historical monument by the government. Since the tunnel it has been called the Crown Prince Tunnel.

Historic Tam O'Shanter Inn At Ayer

Scotland, associated with Burns' immortal poem, is for sale. The inn is one of the oldest licensed drinking places in Ayer, and is conspicuous in High Street for its thatched roof and a picture above the doorway representing Tam O'Shanter setting out on his famous ride which ended in an encounter with the witches at Alloway's "Auld Hallowed Kirk." The city of Ayer may acquire the inn as a public attraction.

The earliest complete clock of which an accurate record exists was made in the 13th century by a Saracen mechanic.

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With the painful pain that red in your feet, you'll feel better!

WINDMILL LINDARD'S

"KING OF PAIN"

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Chest Colds Yield to this Treatment

Redden chest with hot wet towels, rub on—apply thickly VICKS VAPORUB OVER 15 MILLION JARS USED YEARLY

Saving To Cattlemen

Freight Rate Reduced On Shipments From Ranches To Feed Farms

Railways have promised a 50 per cent. reduction in freight rates on cattle sent from ranches to feed farms, declared Hon. Robert Weir, Minister of Agriculture, in an interview at Winnipeg. The Minister said he had secured this promise from the railways. When feeding is finished the cattle will be shipped on the direct export rate from farms to the old country, he added.

By this means, tolls for commutation and stockyard charges amounting to between \$17 and \$25 a carload will be saved," Mr. Weir said, the 50 per cent reduction in the freight rates will effect a saving to cattlemen of \$50 a carload.

The Minister of Agriculture said that attempts had been going on for years to get the railways to agree to the layover on livestock extended from 24 hours to a maximum of one month for the winter months. There were many practical difficulties in the way, however, and it was felt that the best way to solve the problem was by reducing the freight rates.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

FRUIT OMELET

6 egg yolks.
 2 tablespoons sugar.
 1 cup orange juice.
 6 egg whites.
 1 tablespoon butter.
 Orange marmalade.

Beat egg yolks, adding sugar and fruit juices. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Heat butter in omelet pan, pour in omelet mixture, and cook slowly until fluffy, firm and golden brown on bottom. Spread one-half thickly with marmalade, fold and serve.

Mocha Cookies

1 cup shortening.
 1 cup sugar.
 1 cup molasses.
 1/2 cup coffee.
 4 1/2 cups flour.
 1/2 cup baking powder.
 2 teaspoons soda.
 3 teaspoons cinnamon.
 1 1/2 teaspoons ginger.
 1 teaspoon ground cloves.
 1 teaspoon salt.

Cream shortening and sugar. Add well-beaten eggs, and coffee mixed with molasses. Stir all spices with flour and add to mixture, making a soft dough. Drop on cookie pan, a tablespoon for each cookie.

No Rest With Asthma. Asthma usually attacks at night, the one time when rest is needed most. Hence the loss of strength, the nervous debility, the loss of flesh and other evils which must be expected unless relief is secured. Fortunately relief is possible. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has proved its merits through years of service. A trial will surely convince you.

Famous Old Inn

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Western Canada's Wheat Kings

Championship Records Make Good Advertising For Canadian Grown Wheat

Records available for the last twenty years of the wheat growing show on at the International Grain Show, Chicago, make mighty good advertising for Canadian-grown wheat of the highest quality. These show it has been awarded the blue ribbon no less than sixteen years of the twenty latest. The full list is:

1911—Senger Wheeler, Saskatchewan.
 1912—Henry Holmes, Alberta.
 1913—Paul Gerich, Saskatchewan.
 1914—Senger Wheeler, Saskatchewan.
 1915—Senger Wheeler, Saskatchewan.
 1916—Senger Wheeler, Saskatchewan.
 1917—Sam Larcombe, Manitoba.
 1918—Senger Wheeler, Saskatchewan.
 1919—J. C. Mitchell, Saskatchewan.
 1920—J. C. Mitchell, Saskatchewan.
 1921—G. W. Kraft, Montana, U.S.A.
 1922—H. O. Wyler, Saskatchewan.
 1923—Major H. C. L. Strange, Alberta.
 1924—J. C. Mitchell, Saskatchewan.
 1925—F. Yates, Montana, U.S.A.
 1926—Herman Trelle, Alberta.
 1927—C. Edson Smith, Montana, U.S.A.
 1928—C. Edson Smith, Montana, U.S.A.

1929—Joseph H. B. Smith, Alberta.
 1930—Herman Trelle, Alberta.

The Brandon Sun supplies the following interesting information regarding the successive champions: born outside of Canada except Wyler, six of the eight other champions were born in England, while the rest of the champions were born in the United States (Trelle) and in Germany.

All mothers can put away anxiety regarding their suffering children when they have Mother's Grain Expectorant to give. Relief of its effects are sure and lasting.

It might be difficult to convince a Chinaman that more than half the total world production of rice is grown in the British Empire.

Remember that you haven't as long to live as you had yesterday.

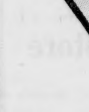


EVERY man, woman and child will occasionally over-indulge. But don't suffer for your indiscretions. It's folly to do so when you can so easily sweeten and settle a sour stomach with a little Phillips' Milk of Magnesia.

Hearty eaters have long since learned that quick comfort lies in perfect anti-acid salts. Smokers know how it neutralizes nicotine, brings back a sweet taste; guards the stomach from indigestion, and is for nausea—or sick headache. And when children have over-eaten—be it bilious constipation or otherwise—upset—give them a little of the same, pleasant-tasting and milk-white Phillips' Milk of Magnesia.

You'll be through with crude methods once you learn the perfect way. Nothing else has the same quick, gentle effect. Doctors prescribe it for indigestion, heartburn, gas, sour stomach and headache. It has been standard with them for over 50 years.

Insist on genuine Phillips' Milk of Magnesia. The best product may not at first seem to be a liquid—always a liquid—in tablet form and the name Phillips' is always on bottle and wrapper.



Keep foods fresh longer by keeping them with Phillips' Milk of Magnesia.

The Pure-Son's lunch variety.

Keep the freshness in sandwiches by using a covering of Pure-Son's.

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LIBERAL PLAN IS ACCEPTED BY LABOR PARTY

London, England.—Across the floor of the House of Commons the government accepted Liberal plans for the alleviation of unemployment. They are the proposals outlined in the official Liberal motion, proposed by Sir Herbert Samuel, a motion which was at first removed as being a motion of censure but later decided down to an invitation.

"This motion is not intended as censure, it is intended as an invitation," explained Sir Herbert, as, with Mr. Lloyd George, his leader, seated at his immediate left, he moved the resolution.

"I accept the invitation," Mr. MacDonald replied, "in the same spirit in which it is given."

The motion calls upon the government to formulate schemes of national employment in regional and local planning, housing, clearance, extension of traffic facilities in the great cities, land settlement, afforestation, extension of docks and harbours improvement and the development of electricity and the telephone loan which the interest and sinking fund is met out of economies in national expenditure, out of the road fund and from taxation of land values.

Discussion revealed a Liberal-Labor agreement also over the formation of the necessary loan. Prime Minister MacDonald said he had been under the impression that the idea was to float a huge development loan before the scheme was worked out. To that the government was opposed. But the government, the prime minister said, would agree to the present proposal as the various schemes for national employment in the last 10 years, yet the country had not a million of a single acre of woodland to show for it.

Prime Minister MacDonald did not agree the unemployment expenditure of the last decade was not new passing through a normal period of unemployment, an industrial revolution was in progress. Unemployment had declined almost to nothing.

Unemployment had continued at the normal rate within the last three or four years, instead of dropping immediately, the unemployment rate would have been substantially reduced. Britain, through the unemployment crisis, had seen less deprivation and less social disturbance than had other countries, and there was less public damage done.

Princes Cannot Attend Ship-Barrat Reception

Unable To Accept Invitation of Canadian Trade Delegation

Montreal, Que.—The Prince of Wales and Prince George because their itinerary is complete, will be unable to attend a banquet reception which was to have been given in their honor by the Canadian trade delegation to the British Empire Trade Fair in Buenos Aires, according to word received here by the Canadian Chamber of Commerce.

The invitation, which was suggested by J. H. Woods, president of the Chamber of Commerce, was wireless to the Princes aboard the steamer "Orizaba" on which they are travelling to South America. In reply the Prince of Wales stated that as they had only two days in Buenos Aires, after opening the fair on March 14, they could not accept the invitation.

Princes Celebrate Birthday

Fort Myers, Fla.—Thomas A. Edison received the "happy birthday" greetings of the United States on Feb. 11. Celebrating his seventy-fourth anniversary at his winter home, he took time off from his rubber experiments to aid in a general observance of the event. Florida and the city of Fort Myers paid the snow-haired genius homage by dedicating a new \$200,000 bridge in his honor.

Naval Truce Discussed

Paris, France.—Robert L. Craigie, of the British foreign office, is in Paris and has had several conferences with Rene Massigli, French disarmament expert, on subjects believed to deal with a possible Franco-Italian naval construction truce.

Toronto, Mexico, has been suffering from a drought for two years.

W. N. U. 1577

Wheat Exports About Doubled

The Cash Returns, However, Were \$1,300,000 Less

Ottawa, Ont.—Although Canada exported nearly twice as much wheat in January, 1931, than in the same month last year, the cash return was \$1,300,000 less, it was shown in a report issued recently by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Total exports in January last were \$6,068,852 bushels, with a cash return of \$5,430,682. In the same month in 1930, the exports were 4,984,034 and the return \$6,768,033.

Exports of wheat flour during January were lower than in the corresponding month last year and the cash return likewise was smaller. A total of 292,256 barrels of flour was shipped out of the country during the month, selling for \$1,558,408. In the same month last year, the exports were 292,886 barrels with a cash return of \$3,609,166.

CONSERVATIVES WIN IN ONTARIO BY-ELECTIONS

Toronto, Ont.—After the warmest by-election campaign in connection with the Ontario legislature for many years, the Conservatives won in Hamilton West returned Conservative government candidates by greatly reduced majorities.

James K. Sanderson of Oxford Mills was elected in Grenville, and Alderman Argue Martin in Hamilton West. Both constituencies have been represented in the legislature by Conservatives for about 25 years. The vacancy in Grenville was caused by the resignation of Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, new Canadian high commissioner. West Hamilton was opened as the result of the death of Hon. Fred T. Sney.

Mr. Sanderson pulled up a majority of approximately 1,476 votes over his Liberal opponent, Percy Barnard. The vote was 5,269, Mr. Ferguson carried the Grenville seat by a majority of slightly more than 2,000 votes.

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Among the more important announcements in the speech are amendments to the Judicature Act to change the constitution of the Supreme Court of Ontario. Improvements in methods of marketing farm products, compensation for blind workers and continued revision of all laws respecting hospitals.

In addition to being Mr. Henry's first official act as prime minister, the ceremony today was marked by the absence of former premier C. Howard Ferguson for the first time in 25 years since he was elected to the cabinet since last session.

The present session will go down in the chronicles of the province as the second session of the 18th Legislature. For practical purposes, however, it will be looked upon as the first session of the Henry regime, for in addition to a new premier, there are six new members in the cabinet since last session.

Typhoid Fever

Drinking Water and Milk Main Agencies For Contracting This Disease

(By John Thorne, Registrar.)

"Well John," said Mrs. Henry as they watched their three children walk down the road to the school, "house half-a-mile away, 'we may not have all the conveniences that city people have, but at least we have the satisfaction of knowing that our youngsters are being brought up in the healthy, open, countryside, and not in some congested, disease-ridden city."

How about that loving, staunch speech of Mrs. Henry's? What do you think of it. Do you still believe that the country is a "healthier" place to live in than the city? Because if you do, you're wrong! Once upon a time cities were disease ridden, and the country was by comparison free from sickness. But for years medical science has been learning more and more about the art of keeping people well, and most large Canadian cities, with their efficient public health departments, can show a cleaner bill of health than can the average rural area.

When I started to write this article, I intended to tell you something about typhoid fever. Perhaps I have wandered a little from my theme, but if so, the wandering is justified, because typhoid fever furnishes an outstanding example of bad health-management in rural areas. In big, congested cities where you would expect to find the most typhoid, you actually find the least, and in rural Canada, where you would expect the fresh air and sunlight to keep this disease down, you actually find a death-rate from typhoid fever that is not merely as high, but many times higher, than the rate for a city like Hamilton, or Toronto. The fact that these valuable rural lives are being wasted emphasizes our great national need—a system of full-time rural health units—full-time health departments of health, similar to those which Quebec is rapidly organizing in all parts of the province.

Typhoid fever is a germ-produced disease. Cities have conquered it largely by keeping the typhoid germ from being swallowed by their citizens. Typhoid germs live and multiply in three in milk and in water. Canadian cities kill the germs before their citizens drink the milk and water, by chlorinating the water and pasteurizing the milk.

One should remember in considering a rural source of water supply the well-known scientific fact that water will not run up hill. If a barnyard or any place where waste is thrown is situated on a higher level than the well then the drainage may easily be carried down into the well. It is the tops of wells or cisterns, either cracked or not sufficiently protected, which will cause the trouble. The ten or twelve feet at the top of the casing may also be a source of danger as water may seep down to the surface of the ground and get into the well before it has had time to be thoroughly purified.

If the tops and upper parts of the casing are water tight, then surface water and imperfectly filtered water can both be kept out. The matter can be summed up by saying that the thing most to be avoided is the entrance of any surface drainage, because this is likely to be the means of carrying disease-producing germs from persons who have or have had certain diseases—including one is tempted to say especially—typhoid fever.

It is especially the shallow wells which collect surface water that are dangerous. Surface water of course drains into the well quickly bringing with it much of the surface muck. Even springs, which most people consider to be absolutely pure, actually have been found to be almost as dangerous. Since frequently they gather a considerable proportion of surface water. Deep wells were found to be the best of all from a health point of view. Deep wells were found to be more than twice as satisfactory as springs and more than three times as satisfactory as shallow wells in-

far as freedom from typhoid germs is concerned.

Now then as to the question of milk. To one not familiar with the methods used by an up-to-date health department in preventing disease, it may seem strange that milk which is produced in the country and carried to the city can be made more pure at the end of its journey than it was at the beginning. The answer to that little puzzle is of course in the process of pasteurization. There are so many ways in which typhoid germs can get into the milk. A fly settling upon the rim of the milking-pail may deposit a small quantity of germs which in a single day can breed untold millions. A hair from the cow's udder can do the same thing. Typhoid germs frequently find their way into the milk pail from the hands of the milker. The entire journey of the milk from the mountain, it leaves the cow until it is taken into the human mouth is fraught with danger. At the present stage of our knowledge typhoid germs may contaminate the milk. In fact when I say that from the moment it leaves the cow's body the milk is in danger of contamination I am understating the case. The cow herself may not be healthy and the contamination may take place even before milking.

Of course in addition to the danger of typhoid spreading by means of water, milk and food there is the obvious and ever-present possibility of the spreading from person to person. Quarantine regulations are much to stop this in the city and where they are enforced also in rural parts. Unfortunately regulations are not enforced as strongly in many rural parts as they are in cities.

Another Boost For

Newspaper Advertising

Radio Dealers After Exhaustive Study

Conclude It Is Best Medium

Exhaustive studies have been made by radio dealers in the United States and Canada. They have always known the daily newspapers form the best medium of advertising. Now the British radio and allied manufacturers come along to add their weight to the argument in favor of using the columns of daily papers to sell goods. From an investment of \$5,000,000 in newspaper advertising during 1930, dividends to the extent of \$80,000,000 have been realized in the retail trade. The radio dealers have made an exhaustive study of the various methods of advertising. They have discovered the money spent in the newspapers brings far greater results than can be paid for by advertising through other channels. When people get their newspapers they want to read them to learn the news, and they also never mind adding what the various manufacturers and merchants are offering the public.

Head the Honor Roll

Boys Working Way Through College

Usually Make Good

At Yale, which is usually supposed to be a rich boy's university, poor young fellows are putting it all over other students. Figures just out show that 23 per cent. of all students won special honors for scholarship and that 46 per cent. of the boys working their way through their course made the honor roll. Fifteen of the twenty students cited for first honors in the last graduating class were self-supporting. Of course such figures can be found elsewhere, but after seeing some of the big spending students turn out at the Yale-Harvard game, one gets a genuine kick out of knowing that it isn't how much education costs that brings home the knowledge. It's the old girl.

Good Resolutions If Kept

Two Which Were Awarded Prizes By

Seattle Paper

In a contest for prizes offered by a Seattle paper for the best New Year resolution, first prize was awarded the following: Resolved: To do more boasting, less boasting—more producing, less promising—more studying, less stalling—more creating, less cranking—more winning, less wishing. Second: Resolved: To offer constructive rather than destructive criticism; to cultivate cheerfulness and courage; to cultivate calmness in difficulty; to cultivate clean, optimistic thought; to practice courtesy; to guard against habits that may be repulsive to others; to cultivate tolerance; to make each succeeding day profitable either by deed or thought.

To Celebrate Diamond Jubilee

British Columbia will celebrate her diamond jubilee at the provincial capital on July 20th, it being on that date, 60 years ago, that the British Colony of British Columbia was formally included in Confederation.

ROYALTY ENJOYS WINTER SPORTS



This photograph shows Queen Marie of Romania and her daughter, Ileana, who have established a residence at Predal, near Simla, in their own country, where they are enjoying the winter sports of the district.

Good Mixers Succeed

Man Who Mixes With The World

Has Better Chance Of Success

Than The Book Worm

That is the man who ranks scholastically in the middle third of their class at college who succeed in after life, is the opinion expressed by Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, in an interview which appears in the "Daily Princetonian," undergraduate newspaper at Princeton university. "I don't deplore the grind," the interview quotes Mr. Thornton as saying, "but I do think that a man who has done something else in college beside bury himself in books has a much better chance of getting ahead later. I mean by doing something else, getting out among his fellows and mixing with them, both in athletics and other activities."

Winter Fifty Years Ago

Old-timers say that this is the mildest winter in fifty years. Robert Wieglend, who came to Fort William, Ont., sixty-one years ago, says that the winter of 1877 was similar. In that year Thunder Bay was open all winter, and a boat came in from Duluth on March 1. Ice was not cut there that year, said Mr. Wieglend, as it was less than four inches thick.



This is how the Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George appeared walking in the garden of his Churt, Surrey farm, recently, upon the occasion of his 65th birthday anniversary.

The Law In France

Women Have No Vote And Very Little Legal Status

A decision of the Boreaux Court that a husband has the right to send in her presence the letters which his wife receives, has not many tongues wagging in the country. Of course most of it is banter, but underneath it all there is a serious streak which is never absent from anything which pertains to a Frenchman's rights. In France the woman has no vote and for that matter very little legal status. She may be the actual boss of the family and the controller of the purse. But she cannot obtain a passport without her husband's consent or go to law unless he is behind her.

The idea back of all this restriction is to safeguard a husband's honor. Rightfully or wrongly, a man is not supposed to go off at a tangent as easily as a woman. She is considered a creature of impulse. But he is always deterred by a knowledge of the Code Napoleon, which means that you can say pretty much what you like but you cannot write it. A woman, however, is influenced by no such law.

Singularly enough, there has been no court decision as to whether a husband has the right to read the letters which his wife sends out. Presumably that is because it is far less easy to control them than it is for those which she receives in their own country.

It is unnecessary to state that a wife in France has no right to read her husband's letters even if they are sticking out of his pockets in the morning after the night before. Husbands over there have very clear ideas of what their wives should or should not do.

Trade With China

Prospects Favorable For Considerable Increase In Wheat Shipments

Predicting a substantial enlargement of Canadian exports of wheat to China and Japan, and at the same time deprecating possibilities of the exports reaching 100,000,000 bushels, John M. Inrie, of Edmonton, chairman of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce mission to the Orient, addressed the Empire Club at Toronto recently.

Mr. Inrie described the possibility of such a large volume of wheat exportation as "absurd" and "unpalatable." Many of the high-sounding estimates made lately were, in his opinion, merely amounting to false hopes. At the same time his delegation had been convinced there would be a gradual increase in Canadian exports to Japan, China and Hong Kong.

Engraving Is Ancient Art

Dates Are Conflicting But First Authentic Record Was 1423

Engraving dates back to the ancients, but the first authentic engraving of which is any record was that of St. Christopher, 1423. Baron de Teflenberg claims to have found an earlier one, dated 1418, and a manuscript discovered in the middle of the Eighteenth century gives reason for believing that the art was known as early as 1308 in England, but there has been too much controversy concerning those prior to St. Christopher to accredit the earlier ones.

A Practical Demonstration

A small boy asked his father how wars began.

"Well," said his father, "suppose that England quarrelled with France."

"But," interrupted the mother, "England mustn't quarrel with France."

"I know," he answered, "but I am taking a hypothetical history."

"You are misleading the child," said the mother.

"No, I am not," he answered.

"Yes, you are."

"No, I am not."

"All right, Dad," said the small boy, "I think I know how wars begin."

The Geographic Board Of Canada

The functions of the Geographic Board of Canada, under the chairmanship of the Director General of Surveys and Department of the Interior, are to decide upon all questions submitted concerning geographic names in the Dominion which arise in the departments of the public service.

As Once Of Radism

There is a chemical factory in Czechoslovakia in which three hundred workmen have labored for eight years to produce radium, and during that time have produced enough radium to produce one gram of radium. But that once is worth something like \$200,000,000.

Theories About Color Divided

Ideas Are Somewhat Divided On Science Of Hues

The general belief that bulls are red vanished along with many other popular color concepts when the Museum of Science and Industry opened an exhibit at New York, in which was displayed virtually all that is known about the science of hues.

Sponsored by a group of technicians, artists, educators, psychologists and scientists, the exhibit was designed to reveal the nature of color and its production, color as the eye sees it and as the eye does not see it, color measurement, color materials and color possibilities.

Black is a color. Many animals are color blind, and most of the animals have a much narrower color range than have human beings.

Colors depend upon their surroundings. They are darker next to a lighter object, and lighter next to a darker.

Red rays are longest, violet shortest. Violet rays give color minerals in earth and rocks, otherwise unseen. Blue and yellow pigments make green, but blue and yellow produce gray.

Any three colors may be called "primary," and complementary colors are those which neutralize each other to make gray. One may find the complement of a color by starting at the color for a dozen or more seconds, then turning his eyes to a white surface.

Color blindness is hereditary and carried through the female line, but it affects about 4 per cent. of the males and only about four-tenths of 1 per cent. of the females.

When it comes to "What is color?" the layman will have to take which ever of three theories he finds the most plausible. The physicist will tell him it is light, the chemist will contend it is due to the manner in which molecules are built up, and the psychologist will say color is not in the object but in the eye.

Among paradoxes demonstrated is the fact that the apparently colorless tropical bird has no color pigment. The hues seen by the eye are due to the bird's feather coloring the way it is struck by light rays.

Germination Of Grain Depends On Condition

Age Does Not Affect It Is Opinion Of Herman Treile

Condition rather than age, is the essential factor in seed-wealth and therefore the recent stories from Egypt of the sprouting of grain discovered in the tombs of kings, who died thousands of years ago, are not so far-fetched as they might appear, according to Herman Treile, of Wembley, Pease River district, well-known grain expert and twice winner of the world's wheat championship at Chicago's International Livestock Fair.

Mr. Treile, accompanied by his wife, visited from New York on the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of France" on February 3, for the Mediterranean cruise.

British Unemployed

Government To Undertake Road and Bridge Construction To Provide Work

Schemes for road and bridge construction to aid the unemployed in Britain, calling for an estimated expenditure of £1,852,000 (about \$8,892,000), have been formally approved by the government.

An official statement said that the total value of road and bridge plans submitted for approval last year was \$1,000,000, while further schemes to the value of \$26,000,000 have been approved in principle.

The city of Paris has almost 350 public drinking fountains which were designed and built by an English philanthropist.

"Do you take me for a perfect idiot?"

"Certainly not. Nobody is perfect in this world."—Hartskuren, Oslo.



"Tell me what we call anybody who takes all day?"
"A teacher, sir!"—Le Montique, Canada.

Industrial Alcohol May Be Manufactured From Waste Gases In Turner Valley Oil Field

Solution in part of the problem of finding uses for the odorous waste of natural gas in the Turner Valley oil field of Alberta is a possibility as a result of a process for the manufacture of industrial alcohol that has been developed in the laboratories of the National Research Council.

If applied to the so-called stabilizer gases—the gases which are collected at the well heads along with the crude gasoline, but later are allowed to escape into the atmosphere—the process, it is estimated by Dr. G. S. Whitty, director of the division of chemistry, could yield industrial alcohol to the extent of 10,000,000 gallons a year.

If applied to the total waste of gases in the field, the figure would be 140,000,000 gallons. Immediate prospects of alcohol production at an economical cost are considered better for the former than the latter, it is said. That quantity of gas already would be under some control, hence more readily available.

Industrial alcohol, according to statistics available, is being increasingly demanded. While the British have been turning to a study of coal in the effort to make themselves independent of outside power for liquid motor fuel, the French have turned to industrial alcohol. If it can be manufactured at a sufficiently low price exports believe there is a prospect of it coming into wide use for this purpose.

Officers of the research council are now studying the economic possibilities of the process which has been developed. It is stated the operating cost, excluding overhead and any charges made for the new waste gas required, would not exceed 25 cents per gallon. Industrial alcohol used annually in Canada at the present time is valued at more than \$2,000,000.

How tremendous is the present loss of gas in the Alberta fields is indicated by the fact that the amount of industrial alcohol mentioned would be produced, if the process is found practicable and put into operation, from about 10 per cent, by volume of the total gases going to waste or 20 per cent by weight.

At the last meeting of the national research council's associate committee on gas research, held in Edmonton in January, it was said that a conservative estimate of the total waste would be 490,000,000 cubic feet per day.

The senior chemist in the national research on the waste gas problem (Dr. A. C. Cameron), is said to have devised a process whereby they can be converted readily into another gas known as ethylene, from which it is an easy matter to manufacture the industrial alcohol, and, as a matter of fact, a wide variety of other chemicals, including glycerol (sugar-free). If only the stabilizer gases were used in the process, it is estimated that in their liquid form the amount of these available would total 1,200,000 gallons a month.

Chemical Fertilizers

Plant At Trail, B.C., To Manufacture Nitrates, Phosphorus, and Potash

Nitrate, which in the past has been brought all the way to Canada from Chile, will soon be produced in large quantities in British Columbia as one of the chemical fertilizers to be turned out by the new plant of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Corporation at Trail, which is to manufacture nitrates, phosphorus, and potash—the chief ingredients in building up the fertility of the soil. The first shipments to the Pacific will be made in time for the spring planting.

We are utilizing only about one-third of the seventy known metals.



"I lost a bottle of brandy. Has it been brought in?"
"No. But the man who found it has!"—Wahre Jakob, Berlin.

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Big Credit Corporation

Organization With \$4,000,000 Capital Formed in the East

One of the pressing problems confronting government and business leaders seems to be the need of increasing the credit facilities available to the farmers in the west. The first official move has been inaugurated towards the creation of the \$5,000,000 credit corporation forecasted by Premier R. B. Bennett in his speech at Regina when application for incorporation was made to the secretary of state.

The application for a charter for the Dominion Agricultural Credit Company, Limited, came from a Montreal legal firm. The shareholders will be banks, loan companies, insurance companies, the two railway companies and certain industrial and mercantile interests, and loans will be made to farmers who have been engaged almost wholly in grain growing to enable them to get into mixed farming. The company will be empowered to borrow from government and deal in livestock, but will be unable to lend on mortgages.

Asked about the recent activities of the farm loan board, Dr. D. MacLean, chairman, said the board had been loaning money in Manitoba and Saskatchewan. He did not anticipate any change in the activities of the board. The board does not operate in Saskatchewan because the provincial government there has a similar organization.

Loans on the security of farm land are seldom placed during the winter season, because it is difficult to value land when the ground is frozen and covered with snow. The farm loan board has a plenty of money available, and when weather conditions make it possible to value land will place loans as usual.

The Fisheries Of Canada, 1929

Complete Statistics Of Industry Have Been Prepared By Government

Complete statistics of the fishing industry of Canada for the year 1929 have just been issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, in co-operation with the Department of Fisheries. The report gives information regarding the landing and marketing of fish in each fishing district in Canada, with totals for counties and provinces. The number and value of boats and gear is also shown by fishing districts, and details regarding boats, canning and curing establishments, by counties.

The total catch of all kinds of fish in 1929 amounted to 1,063,094,000 pounds, and the marketed value was \$53,518,521. The industry had a capital investment of \$62,579,444 and gave employment to 80,450 persons. Canada exported in 1929 fish and fish products to the value of \$37,546,293, while imports of similar products were valued at \$4,223,900.

Copies of the report may be obtained upon application to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Ottawa.

Must Not Use Cosmetics

Rules To Be Observed By Those Entering Grain Competition

Visions of nudity in her boudoir were conjured up, when H. T. Winer, secretary-treasurer of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, was addressing members of the Ontario Field Crop and Seed Growers' Association, at Toronto.

Mr. Winer, referring to the World Grain Exhibition to be held in Regina in 1932, was outlining some of the rules to be observed by those entering the contest. "The use of vanishing cream, furniture polish or varnish in this show would be a detriment rather than a asset. Several ladies gaped audibly until Mr. Winer explained that the vanishing cream, furniture polish, and varnish were often used by farmers in 'dressing' their grain exhibits."

Must Have Been Careless

Edward Bok, of Ladies Home Journal fame, was continually approached by women who wanted his advice in problems of the heart. One woman who had lost three husbands and now had an offer of a fourth, sought Mr. Bok's opinion.

"Shall I accept him?" she asked. "If you have already lost three husbands," replied Mr. Bok, "I should say that you are too careless to be entrusted with a fourth."

With a feeling of considerable relief, we learn from a medical publicist that brainy doctors do not affect the brain, if any.

WHEAT KING AND WIFE



Herman Treile, wheat king and Peace River pioneer, is shown above with his wife. Mr. Treile declares "success" is not the general feeling of the west and that Canada could claim the world's grain markets beyond competition by raising the grade and quality of wheat.

Pasteurization Of Milk

Importance Has Been Proved By Children's Health Organizations

Pasteurization today is a great step forward in hygiene. It has already saved many lives in towns where it has been introduced. It has prevented illness and the mental suffering which accompanies illness in the family.

The importance of pasteurization is proved by children's health organizations. The national council of the milk industry, an organization composed of representatives of all branches of commerce and industry, has adopted a resolution recommending that all milk offered for sale in towns and villages should be pasteurized.

Hawaii produced 830,000 tons of sugar last year.

Saskatchewan Poultry Pool

Legislation To Permit Marketing Of All Eggs and Poultry Through One Agency Is Favored

Seventy-five per cent of the voters favor legislation to permit the marketing of all eggs and poultry products through one provincial organization, as the result of a ballot among the members of the Saskatchewan Co-Operative Poultry Producers' Limited, it was announced by Don Graham, secretary of the organization. The percentage of membership was 41.1.

"It is expected that early action will be taken in connection with the matter," Mr. Graham said. The ballot was taken following the instructions of the board of directors, at the request of locals at annual meetings this fall.

The smallest church in the world seats three people. It is near Covington, Ky.

FASHION



No. 923—Receding Model. This style is designed in sizes 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches bust measure. Size 30 requires 3½ yards of 39-inch material with ¾ yard of 27-inch contrasting and ¾ yard of 3½-inch ribbon for bow.

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No. 970—Slendering Model. This style is designed in sizes 36, 38, 40, 42, 44 and 46 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 3½ yards of 39-inch material with ¾ yard of 27-inch contrasting.

No. 749—Suggests Empire Model. This style is designed in sizes 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. Size 8 requires 1½ yards of 39-inch material with ¾ yard of 27-inch contrasting for dress.

No. 577—Smart Ensemble. This style is designed in sizes 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. Size 8 requires 1½ yards of 39-inch material with ¾ yard of 27-inch contrasting for dress.

North Pole Flight Planned For Next Summer By Giant German Dirigible, Graf Zeppelin

Portugal Exhibiting At World's Grain Show

Officials At Lisbon Make Announcement Of Entry

Official announcement has been made from the headquarters of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference, Regina, of the acceptance by the Portuguese Government of the invitation to participate in the world-wide grain exhibition and conference to be held in that city in 1932.

The announcement of this official acceptance has reached the exhibition authorities through Arthur King, commercial secretary of His Majesty's Embassy and His Majesty's Consul at Lisbon.

Arrangements have been completed by the Portuguese Government to make arrangements for Portugal's representation at Regina in 1932, of which Portugal is a member of the agricultural college of Lisbon, is chairman.

Twenty-five countries have now accepted the official invitation to take part in the 1932 event, namely: Italy, Peru, Yugoslavia, Guatemala, New Zealand, Czechoslovakia, the Netherlands, Belgium, Poland, Spain, India and Portugal.

The cultivated area of Portugal, according to a recent statement from the ministry of agriculture, is about 14,000,000 acres. In 1928 the wheat crop amounted to over 10,000,000 bushels; oats nearly 11,000,000 bushels; barley nearly 3,000,000 bushels; and corn over 480,000 tons. Broad beans and French beans are also cultivated and while no information is yet available as to the class of exhibit which will be prepared by the Portuguese ministry of agriculture for the Regina grain show, it is expected it will include the staple products of the country.

Reindeer Industry For Ontario

May Establish Large Herd in the Lake Nipigon District

One thousand reindeer in Alaska will maul the grasses north of Port Arthur in the near future if plans to bring a huge herd down from the north develop. N. M. Dimond and Charles Boussem, owners of the Dimond Reindeer Ranch, south of North Lake, 30 miles from Grand Marais, Minn., arrived at Port Arthur with plans to secure grazing privileges in the district north and west of Lake Nipigon.

Dimond has several years experience with the reindeer industry and is a stockholder in the Alaskan Reindeer Company of St. Michael, Alaska. This company has a herd of more than 10,000. Dimond declared many advantages exist for the industry in the markets of Canadian and American cities. Establishment of a large herd nearer the markets is planned.

Boussem and Dimond, after three years experimenting, state they have established beyond all doubt the feasibility of breeding reindeer on a large scale in this climate. Reindeer live on moss, they add, and extensive trips into Canadian territory in this area have shown that moss can be found in vast expanses.

Heavy Grain Shipments

Busy Season Has Been Experienced At Port Of St. John

Grain shipments from the elevator at West Saint John, N.B., up to Feb. 1, 1931, show an increase of 130 per cent over the corresponding period of the 1929-1930 winter season. Up to Feb. 1, this season 4,576,801 bushels have been loaded into ships from the elevators, as compared with 1,813,162 bushels for the same period of last season, ships carrying grain, which is practically all Canadian, are destined for the United Kingdom, Continental Europe and Mediterranean ports.

Not So Well Known

Village Policemen: "This won't do. We've had too many 'Smiths' about here. Give me your real name and be quick about it, too."

Spender: "Well, if I must, it's W. Shakespeare."

"That's better. You can't bluff a man like me with that 'Smith' stuff."

Modern Paper Munch

One of the most recent developments in the use of paper is a paper roll saturated with asphalt, which is used as a muck paper and is laid on the ground between rows of certain growing crops to prevent the excessive evaporation of soil moisture and to keep down weed growth.

Plans for a flight in the North Pole by the giant German dirigible Graf Zeppelin next summer have been virtually completed, Ludwig Weickmann, director of the Leipzig Geophysical Institute, announced recently.

The question of finances is the only snag in the way of a 1931 trip, he said. Similar plans in 1929 were abandoned because insurance companies refused to cover the risk of disaster in the frozen north.

The principal work of the expedition, Herr Weickmann said, would be the exploration of hitherto discovered islands between Franz Josef Land and Emperor Nicholas Land. A Soviet expedition has already erected a wireless station on one of the islands, which will be used as a base.

Scientists hope the experts aboard the expedition will be able to determine exactly the contours of Emperor Nicholas Land and the islands by means of triangulation. The Graf Zeppelin will head into the Arctic winter from Leningrad. If possible, German and Swedish scientists will be landed to explore the new islands on foot.

The airship is now in its winter quarters at Friedrichshafen, after a protracted year during which it made 104 flights, carried 4,653 passengers and nearly 10,000,000 pieces of mail.

It will be extensively overhauled before starting the polar journey.

Canada Leads In Surveying

Methods Are More Advanced Than Those Of Other Nations

Canada is showing the way to other nations in advance methods of mapping and surveying, surveying speakers told the annual convention of the Association of Dominion Land Surveyors at Ottawa. Especially was this true of aerial surveying, the Federal Government alone mapping over 60,000 square miles last year, the association was told.

In opening the convention, W. M. Tobey, the president, stressed the fact that Canada has been making place in Canada in recent years. Led by the two main railway companies, the facilities for being constructed into many hitherto inaccessible parts of the country. Water power was being developed at such a rate that Canada now ranked third among the nations of the world in this respect. In addition, Canada was forging ahead in the production of many minerals. New discoveries were being made and new fields opened.

Telling Time By Bird's Songs

Can Be Done By One Who Understands, Says Naturalist

Clocks are not necessary given the time in the morning if one understands the songs of the birds, according to a German naturalist, who has just completed a schedule of offerings by feathered songsters. He says the chaffinch sings at about 1:30 on summer mornings, and the black-cap calls an hour later. Between 2:30 and three o'clock the quail give their call, while the hedge sparrows are heard about 30 minutes later. The blackbirds are next, followed by larks, the black-headed tit-mouse, and finally the sparrows start between five and 5:30.

"School Of Crime" In Antwerp

Announcing the arrest of forty boys all less than ten years of age, Antwerp, Belgium, disclosed they had uncovered a school of crime operated by a modern-day "Pagan." The "school" met regularly to receive instructions from their mentor and to plan new thefts. Detectives said. As a result of the raid, the police have banned certain types of magazines dealing with crime.



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About Town and Country

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Eaton of Excel, on Wednesday, Feb. 11, 1931, a daughter.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Robinson of Oyen, on Friday, Feb. 13, 1931, a son.

Alex. R. McTavish, graduate Optometrist, will visit the hotel in Oyen, Tuesday, Feb. 24. Eyes tested, glasses fitted, repairs.

Mr. Thornton Ford of Benton who has been visiting in Minneapolis, returned home last week.

Miss Elva Earing of Prince Albert, who arrived in Oyen this morning, will be a guest for a few days, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Thygesen.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Peck left yesterday morning by car for Calgary, en route to Cochrane, where they will visit their son, Hubert.

Miss Marjorie Wiley of Landon, who was operated on for appendicitis last week in Cerebral hospital, is reported to be making satisfactory progress.

The dance given by Oyen Orchestra last Friday in the Maclean hall, proved a very enjoyable affair, and was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson and family, who were Hanna visitors last week, returned home Friday.

Mrs. Mayers of Chinook, who has been visiting Mrs. Lockhart returned to her home last Friday.

E. J. Anderson, B.Sc., eye sight specialist, will be at the hotel in Oyen, on Saturday, March 7.

Mrs. B. E. Kelly, of Toronto, arrived in Oyen last Sunday to be with her father, Mr. T. Audibert, who is seriously ill.

Mr. F. G. Langford, one of the old timers of this district, is leaving tonight with his family for Chilliwack, B.C., where he is going to make his home. Mr. Langford will engage in farming close to the town of Chilliwack and commence in a general feed business.

Mrs. Thom of Benton is visiting at the home of Mr. Gordon Caswell and his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Loes, who attended the annual Highland Gathering and sports at Banff, left their car at the mountain resort and went by train to the coast, where they will spend a few days. During their holiday, Mrs. J. Colston is looking after the family.

Mr. Chas. P. Snyder left this morning on a business trip to Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lees left last Sunday by car en route to Calgary.

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Here and There

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K. G. MacKay, senior dairy produce trader for Western Canada, states that Manitoba's creamery butter production in 1930 showed an increase of 85.4 per cent, over 1921.

About 19,000,000 pounds of fish are caught annually in the large and small lakes of the province of Saskatchewan and approximately 1,000 men are employed in the industry.

Aggregate value of field crops grown in Canada in 1930, is officially estimated at \$631,592,000 and total area sown to crops was 52,214,479 acres, an increase over 1929 of about 1,000,000 acres.

In a final estimate of the wheat production of Canada in 1930, the Canadian Government Bureau of Statistics places the total yield at 397,872,000 bushels, an increase of over 2,000,000 bushels compared with the previous estimate.

From end of September 1930 to January 15, 1931, over 26,000,000 pounds of sugar was produced at the beet sugar factory at Raymond, Alberta. The industry has grown to substantial proportions in that province of late years.

From Winnipeg a radio fan wrote—"Melody Mike" is talked around the offices and warehouses in Winnipeg as though he were a real Canadian Pacific official. The reference is to the Canadian Pacific radio offering on Sunday nights across the Dominion.

Vancouver will have a team of fine golfing calibre on the fairways of the Oak Bay course where the third annual mid-winter Empress golf tournament, for the J. W. Beatty trophy will be staged February 25-28. Entries are in from Victoria, Seattle, Portland, Tacoma and cities of the prairie provinces.

"The Comedy Kitty's Arrival", an entertainment promoted and sponsored by the Sibbald Women's Institute, will be given in Oyen Theatre on Friday, Feb. 27, commencing at 8 p.m. The show will be followed by a grand novelty dance. The entertainment, recently successfully presented in Sibbald, is well spoken of.

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